

Title II Project Application
Medford District Resource Advisory Committee

1. Project Number (Assigned by federal unit): 116-414 **AMOUNT REQUESTED:** \$58,300

2. Project Name: Stateline Fence Reconstruction

3. County: Jackson

4. Project Sponsor: Cynthia Spaulding

5. Date: 04/01/03

6. Sponsors Phone #: 541-618-2226

7. Sponsor's E-mail: Cynthia_Spaulding@or.blm.gov

8. Project Location (attach project area maps showing general and specific locations of project.)

a. 4th Field Watershed Name and HUC #(if known): Klamath River Basin

b. 5th Field Watershed Name and HUC #(if known): Jenny Creek

c. Legal Location:

Township 41 S

Range 3E Section(s) 11 & 12

Township 41 S

Range 4E Section(s) 7 & 8

d. BLM District Medford

e. BLM Resource Area Ashland

f. National Forest

g. Forest Service District

h. State / Private / other lands involved? Yes ☒ No

9. Statement of Project Goals and Objectives:

To minimize impacts to the biological objects of the Cascade Siskiyou National Monument by eliminating unauthorized drift and trespass of cattle from non-permittees in California.

10. Project Description: (Provide concise description of project and attach map.)

The barb wire fence will begin at Skookum Creek and continue west along the border for 3½ miles. The old wire be removed, as well and broken and bent fence posts.

11. Coordination of this project with other related project(s) on adjacent lands?

☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, then describe.

12. How does proposed project meet purposes of the Legislation? [Sec. 203(b)(1)]

☒ Improves maintenance of existing infrastructure. [Sec. 2(b)]

Implements stewardship objectives that enhance forest ecosystems. [Sec. 2(b)]

☒ Restores and improves land health. [Sec. 2(b)]

Restores water quality. [Sec. 2(b)]

13. Project Type (check one) [Sec. 203(b)(1)]

☐ Road Maintenance [Sec. 2(b)(2)(A)]

☐ Trail Maintenance [Sec. 2(b)(2)(A)]

☐ Road Decommission/Obliteration [Sec. 2(b)(2)(A)]

☐ Trail Obliteration [Sec. 2(b)(2)(A)]

☒ Other Infrastructure Maintenance (specify): Fence [Sec. 2(b)(2)(A)]

☐ Soil Productivity Improvement [Sec. 2(b)(2)(B)]

☐ Forest Health Improvement [Sec. 2(b)(2)(C)]

☐ Watershed Restoration & Mntc. [Sec. 2(b)(2)(D)]

☐ Wildlife Habitat Restoration [Sec. 2(b)(2)(E)]

☐ Fish Habitat Restoration [Sec. 2(b)(2)(E)]

☐ Control of Noxious Weeds [Sec. 2(b)(2)(F)]

☐ Reestablish Native Species [Sec. 2(b)(2)(G)]

☐ Other Project Type (specify) [Sec. 2(b)(2)]: _____

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14. Measure of Project Accomplishments/Expected Outcomes [Sec. 203(b)(5)]

(Use workload measures used for the budget process)

- a. Total Acres: _____ b. Total Miles: 3 1/2
c. No. Structures: _____ d. Estimated People Reached (for environmental education projects): _____
e. No. Of Laborer Days: 90
f. Other (specify): _____
g. Program Element: _____

15. Duration of Project and Estimated Completion Date [Sec. 203(b)(2)]: May to August 2004

16. Target Species (plants/wildlife etc.) Benefited: (if applicable) Native plants and wildlife

17. How will cooperative relationships among people that use federal lands be improved? [Sec. 2(b)(3)] Cooperative relationships will be improved among people that use public lands through the demonstration of good range management practices.

18. How is this project in the best public interest? [Sec. 203(b)(7)] **Identify benefits to communities?**
The Presidential Proclamation for the Cascade Siskiyou National Monument has increased public concern over the various uses occurring within the Monument. A certain segment of the public desires that the objects of biological interest be protected from uncontrolled livestock grazing. Reconstruction of the fence will allow for better management of livestock numbers.

19. How does project benefit federal lands/resources?

The maintenance of the fence will prevent over-utilization of forage by livestock of Agate Flat and the Jenny Creek Watershed, thus insuring proper management of the rangelands.

20. Status of Project Planning

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|---|---|-----------------------------|--|
| a. NEPA Complete: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| b. If No, give est. date of completion: _____ | | | |
| c. NMFS Sec. 7 ESA Consultation Complete: | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable |
| d. USFWS Sec. 7 ESA Consultation Complete: | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable |
| e. Survey & Manage Complete: | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable |
| f. DSL/ODFW* Permits Obtained: | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable |
| g. DLS/COE* 404 Fill/Removal Permit Obtained: | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable |
| h. SHPO* Concurrence Received: | Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable |
| i. Project Design(s) Completed: | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable |

* DSL = Dept. of State Lands, ODFW = Oregon Dept. of Fish and Wildlife, COE = Army Corps of Engineers, SHPO = State Historic Preservation Officer

21. Proposed Method(s) of Accomplishment

- ☒ Contract
☐ Federal Workforce
☐ County Workforce
☐ Volunteers
Other (specify): _____

22. Will the Project Generate Merchantable Materials? (Sec. 204(e)(3))

- ☐ Yes ☒ No

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23. Anticipated Project Costs [Sec. 203(b)(3)]

a. Total County Title II Funds Requested: \$58,300

b. Is this a multi-year funding request? Yes ☒ No If yes, then display by fiscal year

e. FY04 Request: \$ 58,300

f. FY05 Request: \$ _____

g. FY06 Request: \$ _____

*** Note: If you have a complex budget, add it as an appendix. The Resource Advisory Committee will want to know specifically how the funds will be spent.

| Item | Fed. Agency Appropriated Contribution [Sec. 203(b)(4)] | Requested County Title II Contribution [Sec. 203(b)(4)] | Other Contributions [Sec. 203(b)(4)] | Total Available Funds |
|--|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| 24. Field Work & Site Surveys | | 0 | | |
| 25. NEPA & Sec.7 ESA Consultation | | \$1,000 | | |
| 26. Permit Acquisition | NA | 0 | | |
| 27. Project Design & Engineering | NA | 0 | | |
| 28. Contract Preparation | | \$500.00 | | |
| 29. Contract Administration | | \$1,000.00 | | |
| 30. Contract Cost | | 0 | | |
| 31. Workforce Cost | | \$35,000.00 | | |
| 32. Materials & Supplies | | \$15,000.00 | | |
| 33. Monitoring | | \$500.00 | | |
| 34. Other | | 0 | | |
| 35. Project Subtotal | | \$53,000.00 | | \$53,000.00 |
| 36. Indirect Costs (Overhead) (per year for multiple year projects) | | \$5,300.00 | | \$5,300.00 |
| 37. Total Cost Estimate | | \$58,300 | \$ | \$58,300.00 |

38. Identify Source(s) of Other Funding in Column C. Above [Sec. 203(b)(4)]

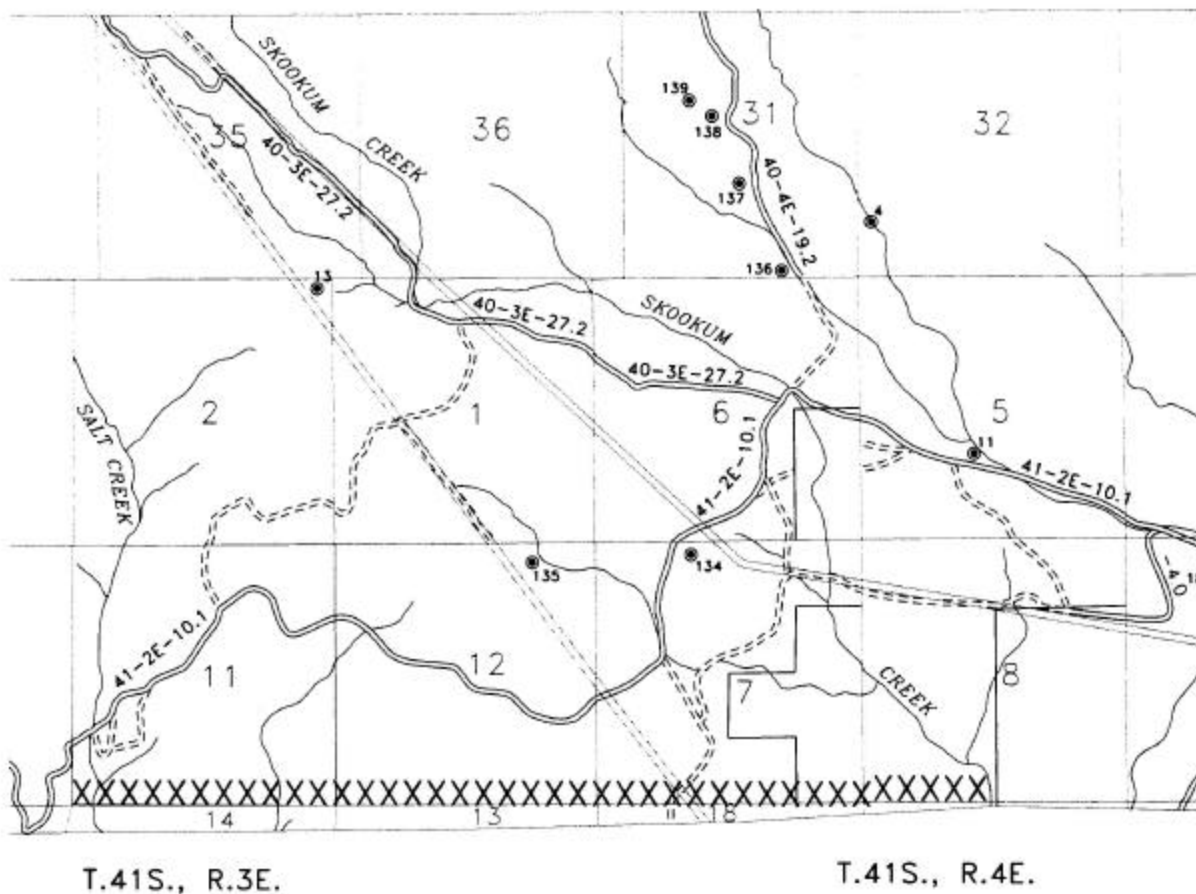
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39. Monitoring Plan (Sec.203 (b)(6))

- a. **What measures or evaluations will be made to determine how well the proposed project meets the desired ecological conditions?** [Sec. 203(b)(6)] **Who will be responsible for this monitoring item?** The range department at the Medford BLM conducts yearly vegetation monitoring on the Jenny Creek and Soda Mountain Allotments to insure that stocking rates are at the proper levels and range condition is stable or improving. It is the responsibility of the Rangeland Management Specialists to determine if the desired ecological conditions are being met.
- b. **How will the project be evaluated to determine how well the proposed project contributes towards local employment and/or training opportunities, including summer youth jobs programs such as the Youth Conservation Corps ?** [Sec. 203(b)(6)] **Who will be responsible for this monitoring item?** This project will be put out to bid by local professional fence contractors to insure quality work. The range specialist will act as the contract officer.
- c. What methods and measures of evaluation will be established to determine how well the proposed project improves the use of, or added value to, any products removed from National Forest System lands consistent with the purposes of this Act? [Sec. 203(b)(6) and Sec. 204(e)(3)] **Who will be responsible for this monitoring item?** The range department at the Medford BLM uses standardized BLM monitoring protocols to assess rangeland health. These include permanent nested frequency transects, utilization studies, and observed apparent trend. These monitoring techniques are the responsibility of the rangeland management specialists at the Medford BLM.
- d. **Identify total funding needed to carry out specified monitoring tasks (Table 1, Item 33)**
Amount: \$500

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STATELINE FENCE



FENCE TO BE CONSTRUCTED = XXXXX